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CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

Commissioner for Patents,
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Sir:

Claim is hereby made for a right of priority under Title 35, U.S. Code, Section 119, based upon the German Patent Application 197 55 869.0, filed December 16, 1997.

A certified copy of the above-mentioned foreign patent application is being submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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Prioritätsbescheinigung über die Einreichung einer Patentanmeldung

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Aktenzeichen: 197 55 869.0

Anmeldetag: 16. Dezember 1997

Anmelder/Inhaber: Siemens Aktiengesellschaft, 80333 München/DE

Bezeichnung: Integrierte elektrische Schaltung und Verfahren zu ihrer Herstellung

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Die Akte dieser Patentanmeldung ist ohne vorherige Offenlegung vernichtet worden.

München, den 20. September 2005
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